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Applicant	:	CHAI, Zhonglin et al.	
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NOTICE OF APPEAL AND PETITION FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Primary Examiner's decision dated May 27, 2009, finally rejecting claims 10 and 33-35.

In addition, applicants hereby request an extension of time of three months from the due date of August 27, 2009.

Please charge fees in the amount of \$1650.00, which covers the cost of the appeal fee and the extension fee, as well as any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-1138.

Respectfully submitted,

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